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BOY SCOUTS BUSY SELLING BONDS

The Boy Scout meeting was held Wenesday night in the High school auditorium with 28 members present, and routine business was attended to, after which it was arranged that and requested that all boys be on duty today and report at the Meyers store to take their part in selling Liberty Bonds.

Three new members were admitted into Troop One, in the persons of Geo. Murphy, Harold Given and Ed. Dawson

Scout Master Cable was present as was also Executive Meyers. Report was made that the Third Liberty Loan medals had been lost in transit, but tracers have been sent out in an effort to locate them.

The Boy Scouts have done splendid work for the aid of suffering Belgian people during the past week. Thursday of last week the boys passed bills among Monessen homes and on Saturday collected clothing etc., and on Tuesday and Wednesday, the collection of which was large, was packed ready for shipment. Don't fail to buy Liberty Bonds from the Boy Scouts.

Loss of Gasoline

Two hundred gallons of highly explosive gasoline flooded the corner of Donner and River streets last night. The wagon of the Atlantic Refining company approached the tank of A. Marple & Co. last night about 11 o'clock and started to fill it, when a valve in the big tank gave way and all of the gasoline went over the street. Water was applied to flush the gasoline in the sewers before some one might throw down a lighted cigar or match. The police were notified and they gave assistance until the danger was over.

Installation

The installation service of Rev. J. R. McFarland as pastor of the First Presbyterian church will take place next Wednesday evening, Oct. 9th at 7:45 p. m. In this service Rev. Perrin Baker, D. D. of Belle Vernon, will preside. Rev. Robert H. Kirk, D. D., of McKeesport, will preach. Rev. James A. Liggitt, D. D., West Newton, will address the congregation. All the members of the congregation and friends are invited to be present.

ROBBINS MAKES FORCEFUL SPEECH IN NATIONAL HOUSE. FIGURES TO PROVE FACTS

Discrimination in favor of the South as against the North and West in location of cantonments and other war activities has been persistently practiced by Secretary Baker.

There is only one thing that can explain this. Secretary Baker has yielded to political influence of Southern Senators and reprsentatives in location of cantonments, camps and other war plants.

Despite the fact that the Northern and Western states have supplied and are supplying far more troops for fighting the war with Germany and have paid and are paying far more taxes to support the war than the Southern states, Secretary Baker has located most of the army activities in the south, where army expenditures are pouring a steady stream of gold into the hands of the people of that section of the country.

This statement is based on the records, and was brought out in a House speech by Representative Edward E. Robbins of Pennsylvania.

Sixteen Southern states have received from the Federal givernment in the way of initial expenditures for establishment of cantonments and war activities the stupendous sum of $490,306,991. These states and the amount received by each are:

Alabama	$61,336,145
Arkansas	15,409,572
Florida	7,278,201
Georgia	28,710,845
Kentucky	8,375,239
Louisiana	6 24,474
Maryland	39,187,441
Mississippi	5,544,514
New Mexico	4,007,545
North Carolina	4,518,761
Oklahoma	5,174,646
South Sarolina	19,045,284
Tennessee	76,672,100
Texas	32,652,744
Virginia and West Virginia	176,103,472
Total	$490,306,991

This is but a small part of the money that has been and is being expended by soldiers and the friends of soldiers in each state around these encampments, and of the amount for salaries and wages, the monthly pay roll being about $1,500,000, that is constantly poured into these favored Southern States by the Federal treasury.

In sharp contrast with these expenditures in the Southern States is the expenditure for like activities in 14 Northern and Western states.

In these fourteen Northern and Western States the Federal Government has expended for like war purposes only $200,559,222, which money has been disbursed as follows:

California	$14,980,398
Illinois	11,878,150
Indian	582,000
Iowa	9,518,975
Kansas	11,011,998
Massachusetts	11,430,837
Michigan	18,165,178
Nebraska	549,266
New Jersey	51,103,984
New York	17,818,965
Ohio	36,116,364
Pennsylvania	8,693,732
Vermont	108,823
Washington	8,750,647
Total	$200,559,222

This analysis of the expenditures in the North and West shows conclusively that political influence has been brought to bear on the Secretary of War, and that he has not only made these expenditures for political reasons but for sectional purposes also. If the present political influence is to continue to control the location of the encampments, no doubt some of these which are now established in the North will be abandoned and new ones established, and that the other war activities will be further concentrated in the South.

Each time an Administration Senator is up for re-election or a Democratic candidate for Congress is in danger of defeat, we may expect to see a cantonment established in his district to help along the political fortunes of some administration Democrat.

One illustration will suffice.

North Carolina, solidly Democratic, had one encampment already established at Charlotte, upon which the government originally expended $4,518,761.39. Another is being completed at Fayetteville. It probably will be called Camp Sherman in honor of the senior Senator from that state, whose influence, it is claimed, secured its establishment.

Senator Simmons is a candidate for re-election to the Senate. He has advertised throughout the state that he is in favor of a 35-cent cotton, location of military cantonments in his state and establishment of a government munition belt.

To quote with reference to a Fayetteville encampment from a North Carolina newspaper:

"Secretary King, of the Fayette Chamber of Commerce, brought to Washington today resolutions adopted at a recent meeting of that organization, thanking Senator Simmons for the part he played in landing an army camp at Fayetteville."

Thus it appears that political influence, working on Secretary Baker, has succeeded in having him establish a military camp at Fayetteville, North Carolina during a political contest for Senator in that state and more than a year after all the other great encampments had been located.

It is fair to assume, therefore, that these same influences have brought about establishment of the great preponderance of military encampments and the expenditure of these vast sums of money for war activities in the Southern states.

This does not seem to indicate that "Politics is Adjourned" when the "loaves and fishes" are being distributed.

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I hereby warn all merchants that they must cease sweeping the paper from their stores on the streets as the "white wings" will be taken off and put to essential work. Street sweeping must cease for the present on account of scarcity of labor.

A. W. Jenkins.
98-3t fp Street Commissioner.

MACCABEE PLAY BIG SUCCESS

The three act comedy drama "Lighthouse Nan" presented by the Lady Maccabees at the High school auditorium Thursday night was a decided success. The play was staged by the Roscoe Dramatic Club and it certainly knows it business. It would be hard to single out any one actor for especial mention, as each one seemed fitted for the part, but the audience was with "Nan" from start to finish.

The specialties were the best talent that Monessen could produce. Miss Mary Butler in singing and dancing was forced to respond to many encores. Miss Ellen Myford pleased all with the sweet violin solos rendered. Miss Marion Lewis with her chorus of Liberty Bell girls took the audience by storm. Miss Viola Verne Thomas of Roscoe, rendered beautiful solos. Jack Keefer, ever popular Jack, gave a minstrel act that was a scream from start to finish. His local hits took so well with the audience that it was hard for him to get the curtain rung down.

Taking it altogether it was about as successful a home talent play as has been produced here and the Maccabee ladies are to be congratulated for their enterprise in securing it.

MANY HEARD Y.M.C.A. MAN MAKE SPEECH

Aside from those directly connected with the Page Steel and Wire plant, many others heard the wonderful address given at the plant yesterday afternoon by Rev. Robert Galbreath of Pittsburgh. He talked on the war, viewed from his personal experiences while in France in Y. M. C. A. work. His talk was very interesting and instructive and was much appreciated by local people. In the evening Rev. Galbreath spoke in the U. P. church to a good sized audience. While here he was the guest of his friend of many years, Supt. George A. Parr, superintendent of the mill at which he spoke.

OFFICIAL NOTICE MAKES SITUATION CLEAR AS TO RULING ON INFLUENZA

The following telegram was received this morning by the Monessen Board of Health from the office of the State Commissioner of Health at Harrisburg:

Secretary Board of Health:

Subject emergency order influenza epidemic. The spread of epidemic influenza in other states has shown that public gatherings and places where large numbers of people are likely to congregate play important parts in the dissemination of the disease. This is especially the case in poorly lighted and badly ventilated rooms. As the disease at this time shows definite signs of assuming serious proportions, drastic measures must be taken at once. By the authority of the powers vested in me as Commissioner of Health and as authorized in the Act of April 27, 1906, your Board of Health is directed to close all public places of entertainment including theatres, moving picture establishments, saloons and dance halls and to prohibit all meetings of every description until further notice from this department. If necessary placard all doors leading to places enumerated "Closed by Order of the State Commisioner of Health." It will be for the present and subject to further order from this department be left to the judgment of local health authorities as to whether or not public schools, Sunday schools and churches be closed. If in the case of the schools, children are under medical supervision and those having coughs and colds are excluded from attendance, there would not appear to be the same necessary directions for the closure of such places. Prohibit visiting of the sick to those who are desperately ill, then admit near relatives only. Make funerals private.

(Signed)
K. Franklin Royer,
Acting Commissioner.

In accordance with the order issued by Dr. B. F. Boyer, state commissioner of health, the theatres of Monessen closed their doors yesterday until orders are received to re-open.

Today all the saloons of town are closed in compliance with the order which covers the entire state.

Influenza is apparently rapidiy becoming epidemic in the eastern part of the United States. It is imperative that health authorities be prepared to cope with this epidemic, that they shall be prepared to issue advice concerning preventive measures that may be helpful in averting serious outbreaks of the disease, and that they now prepare to render relief even before the disease becomes epidemic.

NOTICE OFFICIAL

The board of health met today at 11 o'clock and, acting upon orders by the State Board of Health determined to issue the following: That no public meeting of any kind will be permitted owing to the spread of influenza and the epidemic which threatens every section of the nation. All churches, Sunday schools and lodges must cease to assemble until further orders from the state board of health. The public schools will not close at present owing to the safeguard through medical inspection. This ruling also effects theatres, bar rooms and clubs and they are warned to close until further orders.

A rigid inspection of all boarding and rooming houses has been ordered and where crowded conditions prevail, regulations will be laid down.

—Mrs. J. R. McFarland attended a meeting of the West Newton "Friday Reading Club" last Friday afternoon, a guest of Mrs. W. R. Caut, hostess of the club.

7,000 CASES INFLUENZA IN CAMP LEE

The number of cases of Spanish Influenzt at Camp Lee has reached 7,000. To care for these men five barracks have been taken over by the base hospital and are being operated as an annex to that unit. Physicians and nurses have been detailed to care for the situation in these buildings, where most serious cases are sent.

Officers and enlisted men have been detailed to the medical forces to aid in handling the situation. These men are drawn principally from among those who have already recovered from the disease. It is considered impossible by physicians for a man to have Spanish influenza twice in a short period of years.

The number dying from complications, principally pneumonia that set in, steadily increases. In a 24-hour period ending at 12 o'clock yesterday, 35 solders had succumbed, bringing the total deaths in less than three weeks to 167.

At Camp Lee a quarantine as rigid as it was possible for military discipline and efficiency to make it, was established by the veterinarian school which is located outside the horseshoe of the camp.

"Rumors continue to arise concerning a quarantine being established by the camp. None is contemplated," was the statement made by Gen. Hedkin. One effect of the situation on the camp has been the discontinuing by orders from Washington, of all movements of drafted men into the camp. Large movements were scheduled for this month.

—Mrs. George W. Engle, chairman of the committee of National Defense, Monessen, received a telegram from the County chairman, Mrs. Lloyd B. Huff, of Greensburg, congratulating the local committee on the very helpful work they have done in co-operating with the reular committee in pushing the Fourth Liberty Loan.

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CHURCH NOTES

Trinity Protestant Episcopal church—School at 9.45 a m, morning service at 11 a. m.

Sunday school at Shepler Mission Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Service in charge of John Hughes at 7:45. Mr F. G. Stricker of Newell will have charge of the evening service.

First Presbyterian church—J. R McFarland, pastor. Sabbath School 9:45 a. m., Lorrin Culler, suprintendent. Preaching services 10:45 and 7:45. Christian Endeavor 6:45 A welcome at all services.

Christ Lutheran church, 221 McKee avenue, Rev. E. H. Albrecht, pastor —Sunday school 9:30 German services 10:45 and English services at 7:45 p. m. Prayer service next Wednesday at 8.00 p. m. You are cordially invited to all our services.

First M. E church, corner of Fourth and Schoonmaker, Rev. D. R. Graham, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30, Roger Richards, superintendent, morning worship at 10.45; Epworth League at 6:45 and evening worship at 7:45.

First United Presbyterin church, son Reid, pastor—Sunday school at 10 o'clock, Prof. McClelland, superintendent. Classes to suit all ages, and a place where your presence may help others. Worship and sermon at 11 o'clock at a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Observance of the Lord's Supper.

Salvation Army, 326 Donner avenue will hold Sunday school at Fairhope, Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Sunday School at Monessen at 2 o'clock. Young Peoples service at 6 o'clock in the evening. Open air service at 7 o'clock. Preaching service at 8. Capt. Ethel Robinson, assisted by Cadets Doughabaugh and Roberts in charge. Everybody welcome.

Christan church, Sixth street, near Donner, Rev. J. b. Swain, pastor—Morning service 10:45, evening service 7:45. Bible School 9:30, J. Frank Bower, superintendent. Christian Endeavor at 6:30, J. Percy Boore, president. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. Welcome to all. The church committed to Christ and Democracy.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, Eighth street and Donner avenue—9:45 a. m Sunday School in charge of C H Dils, superintendent 11 a. m and 7.30 p m, divine worship with short sermons by Rev. J. Eugene Dietterich, D D At both services the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered Every member should be present, if possible Visitors and strangers always most cordially welcome.

First Baptist church, Schoonmaker avenue, Rev. W S. Carson, pastor The services tomorrow will be at the usual hours—Sunday School 9:45 a. m.;divine worship at 11 a. m.; B. Y P. U. 6:45 p. m.; evening service 7:45 p. m. We give a hearty invitation to our Sunday school and adult classes. The pastor will preach both morning and evening Come and bring your friends.

First United Brethren in Christ., I Jay Duke, minister. Sunday, Sept. 15 —Sunday school at 9 30; morning service 10:45; Junior Y. P. S. C. E at 2:30; Senior Y. P. S C. E at 6:45, the leader will be Mr W H Crowe. Evening preaching at 7.45. theme "Over the Top" Meeting of Brotherhood Monday evening at 7.45, Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45; Women's Aid society Thursday; Choir rehearsal Friday evening at 7:45. Let every member of the church bring the regular offering and if you do no have your envelopes you will be supplied with an envelope and pencil at the door where you can plac your offering in the envelope and properly fill in name and amount

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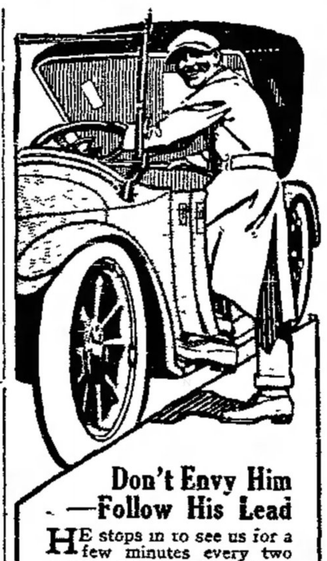

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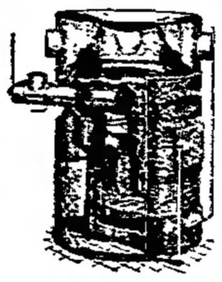

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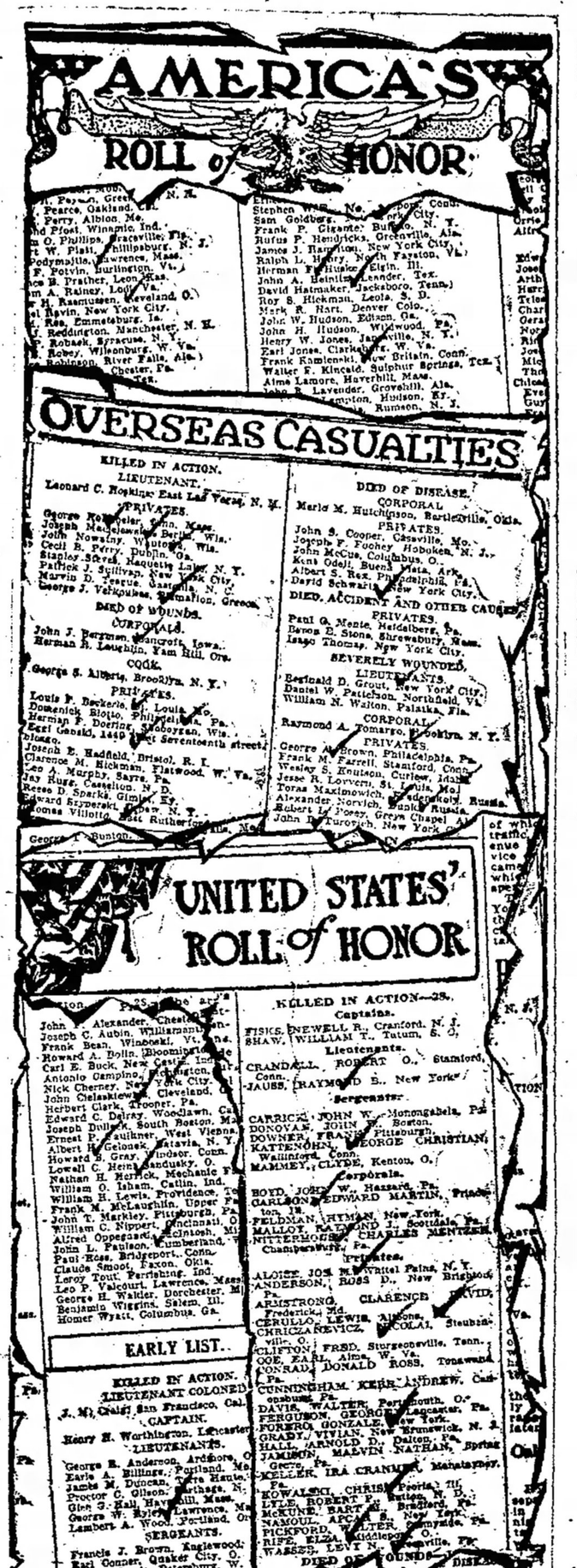

"Yanks"

By WILBUR D. NESBIT

There were 62 names in a recent casualty list.

Twenty-two of those names were of men who were obviously of foreign blood.

Joseph Maciejewski and George Verkoulas and Eggi Ganski and Thomas Villotto and Wesley Knutson and Toras Maximovitch were among them.

So it went—Greek, Italian, Swede, Dane, Russian, Jew, Pole, German—you could find as many nationalities as you knew.

Yet they were all "Yanks."

The casualty lists keep coming; the names keep pouring over the cable.

Oh, yes, the Smiths, and Joneses and Browns are all there.

All the boys whose great-great-grandfathers and great-grandfathers and grandfathers and fathers have fought for liberty right here—their names are in the lists.

Yet, somehow, one's hand involuntarily goes up in salute to Szysperski and Mente and Schwarz—to these "Yanks" whose fathers and mothers just a few years back stepped from deck to dock and blinked their eyes in the knowledge that at last their dreams of freedom had come true.

Why, we folks who have lived here all our lives and who can't remember when our folks weren't native Americans—here's a rich blessing for us!

These people who came to our shores believing in us are *proving* their belief. Their boys are fighting for our common country and for our common beliefs and principles.

They *are* "Yanks"—God bless them!

And every time you buy a Liberty Bond you put a newer and higher courage in the hearts of all our boys, but especially of those boys whose parents came here so that their sons might be free to fight for liberty if liberty had to be defended.

Every penny you lend our government in your investment in Liberty Bonds goes to give us a better army and navy.

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WANTED—A saleslady; Janavitz store. 94-tf

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—Don't delay, come while the chance for selection is good. All goods at cost.—The Luce Hardware & Roofing Co., 545 Donner avenue. 87-tf

—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dale and daughter Margaret, Mrs. W. C. Phillipp and Miss Margaret Wheatley were in Pittsburgh yesterday visiting Mrs. Dale's sister.

—Don't miss the bargains at the closing out sale of the Luce Hardware & Roofing Co., 545 Donner Ave. 87-tf

—Misses Rhoda Armstrong and Ella Seiber left this afternon for Connellsville and Uniontown where they will visit friends over Sunday.

—We carry the largest stock of tires in the valley. Ajax, Mason, Mohawk and Goodyear.—Tri-Cities garage. 62-tf

—Wednesday, Oct. 23, the livestock, farming implements, household goods etc. on the old Philip Shepler farm will be sold at public auction.

—The New Maxwel car has just arrived.—See it at the Tri Cities Garage. 62-tf

—Get your free card for the "Give a Lift Club" at the Tri-Cities garage. 62-tf

—The Rally Day that has been announced for tomorrow at the Christian Bible school, will be postponed indefinitely on account of the ruling of the Board of Health.

Sickening headaches, indigestion, constipation, indicate unhealthy condition of the bowels. Restore your system to health and strength by keeping your bowels regular. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the bowels work naturally—thoroly—regularly.—Craig's drug store. adv.

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You can't expect weak kidneys to keep up under the terrific strain of nature's effort to filter the acids and poisons out of the system unless they are given a little help. Don't allow your kidneys, the most overworked organs of your body, to become diseased when a little attention now will prevent it. Don't try to cheat nature. It can't be done.

As soon as you commence to have backache, feel nervous, tired or worn out without cause, GET BUSY. These are usually warnings that your kidneys are not working properly and throwing off the poisons as they should.

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In former seasons many women who always choose a dress or suit with care have bought their gloves in the most casual way. But in these days of conservation, women are learning that a cut price glove, hatiy bought, means an actual waste of money because of the poor service it gives. They have found that it pays to buy the silk glove they know.

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If ever the nation needed the "cheer-o-spirit," if ever people needed kindly thoughts, words of good will, friendly greetings, it is this year. Those who sent cards to only a few, or not atall, last year, should send them generously this year.

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